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FIRE AND PUBLIC SAFETY ACADEMY TRAINING SYSTEM April 2017 INSTRUCTOR BULLETIN

***** IMPORTANT *****

Attention Instructors

We will provide you with access to IFSTA and Jones and Bartlett curriculum provided to us by the publishers of the text books that are used in the delivery of certification courses. In order to do so each instructor must have a Microsoft Live account at <https://login.live.com/login> (**this is free**). When you have the live account setup please email Monica Hurley your account ID (i.e. johnsmith@live.com) at mhurley@dhs.in.gov to gain access. The curriculum includes lesson plans, student activities, PowerPoint, and chapter quizzes. You can download the IFSTA and Jones and Bartlett curriculum and save it to your computer. The Pennwell/Fire Engineering curriculum is NOT part of this free download.

*****RECIPROCITY & VARIANCE REQUEST(S)*****

ALL requests for a Variance or for Reciprocity must be received two (2) weeks prior to the Fire Board Meeting to be put on the Agenda for the Fire Board Meeting.

****WEBINAR ONLINE BASED****

1. Retaining and Recruiting Volunteer Firefighters
 - a. April 5, 2017 1900-2000 EST
 - b. Registration URL: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/6138166979463217153>
 - c. Webinar ID: 180-375-651

****INSTRUCTOR UPDATE-TRAINING AND TESTING ****

This is a recorded webinar that will update the instructors on changes occurring in the training and testing skills of Firefighter I, Firefighter II, Modular and Mandatory. We also discussed the elimination of combined testing for certification. This is a must attend for active instructors.

Registration URL: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/1857339402872335619>

Webinar ID: 740-872-771

****FIRE MARSHAL LEADERSHIP SEMINAR****

April 15th 2017 0800-1600
Henry County Township Trustee Office
1201 Church St. New Castle, IN 47362
Phone 765-529-3303

Please consider joining Indiana State Fire Marshal Jim Greeson for this one day seminar. The information provided to you our partners in public safety is current and relevant to your day to day operations. Topics presented include: fire marshal support and services, enhancing elected official relationship, providing EMS, training expectations, billing policy for emergency response and LEPC information. EMS continuing education credit is available. Adult continuing education requirements are also available for certified fire instructors. Lunch will be provided.

To register for this seminar: http://indianafiretraining.com/get-training/district-06-classes.html?task=view_event&event_id=2017000092&Itemid=102

**** NFA 2017 CLASSES AND DATES ****

Indiana Weekend will be July 07-09, 2017.

Classes being offered

- 1. W0522 Executive Skills Series: Exercising Leadership Through Difficult Conversations**
- 2. W0635 Best Practices in Community Risk Reduction**
- 3. W0602 Shaping The Future**

Register at: <http://indianafiretraining.com/get-training/district-05-classes.html>

**** ACADIS ACCOUNTS ****

Please **DO NOT** instruct students to call the office to set up their personal Acadis accounts. All accounts are setup when their PSID number is issued. This is the reason why we ask for PSID numbers to be requested online. Once the request is processed the student will receive a "Welcome email." This email includes instructions on how to access their account. Once they've completed this step the student will get their PSID number and be able to make any necessary changes, take online training, print certifications, and renew certifications. Please only call the office if your account is locked or you don't have access to your old email account.

**** SKILLS COMPLETION VERIFICATION ****

Once skills have been completed, the Lead Evaluator shall access the Lead Evaluator Acknowledgement link and submit the completed skill acknowledgement *prior to the students taking the written exam*. The link can be found here: <http://www.in.gov/dhs/3881.htm>. If the skill verification is not submitted within 7 days of taking the written exam, the student(s) certification will not be issued. If a student is/was not on the roster, DO NOT submit skills for them.

****PRE-REQUISITES FOR CERTIFICATION COURSES****

Prerequisites must be on the student's record **PRIOR** to listing them on the roster (i.e. student must have completed and passed a certification program, and that program must be posted to their record). All rosters for testing **MUST** include a PSID Number for each student.

****CURRICULUM UPDATE****

***** Conversion of curriculum is on hold for the following certifications *****

Fire Officer 3 and 4 book updated to the IFSTA Chief Officer 3rd edition will **NOT be effective** January 2018.

Driver Operator Jones & Bartlett is on hold until further notice.

****2017 INDIANA EMERGENCY RESPONSE CONFERENCE (IERC) ****

September 20-23, 2017
Sheraton Indianapolis at Keystone Crossing
8787 Keystone Crossing Indianapolis, IN 46240

For more conference information, visit: www.indianaerc.com or find us on Facebook!
To register for the conference: http://indianafiretraining.com/get-training/state-sponsored-classes.html?task=view_event&event_id=2017000087

****HARRISBURG FIREFIGHTERS****

The Harrisburg Firefighters turned out for a dwelling with multiple calls, with multiple kids trapped, *and they were*. Listen to multiple challenges they dealt with upon arrival. See the below photos and videos.

Point: If there has ever been a question by anyone you know on the roles and responsibilities we each have at a fire-and our responsibility to be trained to be "on our game" - this would be it.

Listen to the radio traffic of that fire:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eRGr-rUMoSI&sns=em>

Video of the fire: <https://www.facebook.com/1687875341538673/videos/1811407765852096/>



****2017 Blue Card HZ Conference featuring Capt. Sully Sullenberger****

June 8th & 9th at the Arizona Grand Resort and Spa

This will be Capt. Sullenberger's first time publicly speaking to the fire service. For more information and to register for the conference, please follow this link: <http://bshifter.com/conference.aspx>

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FIRE HOME PAGE

<http://www.in.gov/dhs/firecertification.htm>

PSID REQUEST LINK

<http://www.in.gov/dhs/3881.htm>

PSID PROBLEMS

psidquestions@dhs.in.gov

Fire Certification Questions

firecertifications@dhs.in.gov

FIRE TESTING REQUESTS

<https://myoracle.in.gov/hs/training/public/fireApp.do>

FIRE BOARD RULES

<http://www.in.gov/dhs/2366.htm>

RECIPROCITY or VARIANCE REQUEST SEND FORMS to:

FireFighterBoard@dhs.in.gov

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